

EDITOR M'CLURE SCENTS VICTORY For Cleveland and Free Trade, After a Visit to Democratic Headquarters.

HIS PERSONAL OPINION Given in a Dispatch to His Own Philadelphia Newspaper.

He Thinks the Conditions in New York Favor Cleveland Exactly as They Leaned Toward Harrison Four Years Ago—The Personal Friend of Senator Quay Says the Latter Has Virtually Conceded the Empire State to Cleveland—A Connecticut Republican Elector Withdraws to Cast His Vote for the Opposition—A Roseate View From a Source Whence Rainbows Have Previously Emanated.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 28.—The Times tomorrow will print the following dispatch from Colonel A. K. McClure, the editor in chief, now in New York: "I now regard it as safe to say that New York is irrevocably settled in the Cleveland column. Every development of the last ten days in this State, as elsewhere, has shown a positive and growing drift to Cleveland, and now there is no reasonable possibility of a reversion against him. The fact that this steady tide toward Cleveland has been more general during the present week, when the sincerest sympathies of the whole American people have gone out to President Harrison in his sore domestic bereavement, is an unerring index of the sober sentiment that is about to revolutionize the tariff policy of the Republic.

Expectations of the Democrats. "It is now confidently expected by the Democrats here that Cleveland's majority in this city will be increased to figures which will more than overcome the majority against him in the State four years ago, and Brooklyn will increase his majority of 1888 fully 5,000. The reports from the rural districts now unmistakably indicate that Harrison will be fortunate if he shall maintain his former majorities, and he is likely to lose to Harlem bridge with from 10,000 to 15,000 less. Such is the estimate of the most careful and experienced analysts at Democratic headquarters, and they have not reckoned without the most systematic and exhaustive inquiries into every district of the State.

How the Betting is Sealed. "Election betting has been rare in the contest until lately, but bets of 100 to 70, and even at greater odds, are now offered on New York voting for Cleveland, without takers. It is now the apparent hopelessness of the Republican cause in New York that has made the party managers assault Connecticut, Delaware and West Virginia by every known method of political subversion and coercion. The violent prosecution of the Federal election law by supervisors in Delaware and Connecticut gives the people of those States, and of the country generally, a foretaste of what a force bill would mean if enacted; but it seems next to certain that the violence of the assault made on Connecticut and Delaware will recoil upon the Republicans.

Not Exactly Ideal Politics. "The boodle will be taken, and the people who take it, as a rule, will vote for Cleveland and be safe against detection by the new secret ballot law. This is not ideal politics, but it is the only politics that can cheat the boodle chasers in their raid upon the integrity of the ballot. "Four years ago the last fortnight of the campaign exhibited a steady line of breaks from the Democratic ranks to Harrison. Not only manufacturers, but farmers and business men of prominence maintained a continuous tide from Cleveland to Harrison. The country was terrorized by the phantom of free trade, and with very rare exceptions the changes were in favor of Harrison. Now, even the blindest Republican leader must see that the popular drift is reversed; that the most conspicuous political changes ever witnessed since the organization of the Republican party are in progress and all in favor of Cleveland. From college professors to workmen in shops, mills, mines, fields or forests, there is a constant and ever-growing tide for tariff reform, for equality of taxation and for relief to our industries by removing the present oppressive and wasteful taxes on the necessities of business and of life.

Blows Considered Most Staggering. "Seven Republican Cabinet Ministers, going back to Abraham Lincoln's Minister of Finance, are now supporting Cleveland, and the most staggering blow of the campaign has just been delivered by General Bae, late National Commander of the Grand Army of the Republic, and ex-Congressman Clark of New York, a named soldier and until now an earnest Republican. The notable feature of their revolt is the fact that they voice the honest veterans of the nation in supporting Cleveland's pension policy, that would make our pension roll a roll of honor. This is the first break in favor of honest pensions to honest soldiers, and against staining our worthy pensioners with the slime of the skulker and the thief. "I witnessed the largest Cleveland mass meeting at Bridgeport, Conn., last evening ever held in that city, and just an hour before the vast assembly gathered Dr. Warner, one of the largest manufacturers in the State, a lifelong and active Republican and until yesterday on the Harrison electoral ticket from that State, publicly announced his withdrawal from the ticket. "Warner is a Bank Director.

The reason given to the Republican State Committee was that as he is a bank director his eligibility might be questioned, but to his home neighbors he publicly stated that he cherished the highest respect for Cleveland, and that the McKinley tariff was prejudicial to the industries of his State. He has been one of the most active party men, as well as one of the most liberal contributors, and his withdrawal from the Harrison electoral ticket and his declaration of faith in Cleveland and his denunciation of the McKinley tariff, came upon the Republicans like a

thunderbolt from an unclouded sky. If he were singular in his action, great as his influence is, it would be of comparatively little moment, but he is only one of many of like intelligence and power, all drifting in the same direction, it must mean revolution. "The final political roundup of 1892 is now in progress, and it must be obvious to all intelligent and unbiased observers that the strays are all making for the Democratic herd, and unless all signs shall utterly fail, Grover will be elected by a large popular and electoral majority."

M'LEOD ANSWERS CHANDLER.

He Doesn't Believe Frank Jones Ever Used a Railroad Politically.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 28.—The following reply to Senator Chandler's dispatch to President McLeod was sent by the latter to-day: PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 28, 1892. Hon. William E. Chandler, Concord, N. H.: You telegraphic message of the 26th has not received earlier attention, or otherwise my absence from this office. It cannot be expected that in the short time I have been connected with the Boston and Maine property I should be sufficiently familiar with the matters to which you refer, to either affirm or deny your statements, but from all the information I have and from my knowledge of the methods of Frank Jones, now Assistant of the Board of Directors of the Boston and Maine, I cannot believe he has ever attempted to use the power of the corporation for political purposes, or otherwise for the exclusive benefit of the stockholders of his company. It has been my practice, wherever I have controlled a corporate organization, to maintain a strictly neutral position upon all political questions, and I have no doubt that my management and I have maintained this policy in accordance with me in maintaining this policy in the government of that property. A. McLeod.

DEPEW'S SIZE-UP OF GROVER.

He Thinks the Ex-President a Man of Firmness and Egotism.

NEW HAVEN, CONN., Oct. 28.—Yale University, particularly that part of its undergraduate forces which advocates the doctrines of the Republican party, to-night testified to its regard for a distinguished graduate in the person of Dr. Chauncey M. Depew, who was the principal speaker at a Republican rally here. The doctor said that he knew Mr. Cleveland when very few outside of his circle were aware of his positive organization, to maintain a strictly neutral position upon all political questions, and I have no doubt that my management and I have maintained this policy in accordance with me in maintaining this policy in the government of that property. A. McLeod.

CAMPBELL FULL OF CONFIDENCE.

He Looks on Cleveland's Election as a Foregone Conclusion.

COLUMBUS, O., Oct. 28.—[Special.]—Ex-Governor James E. Campbell returned home to-day after a three-weeks' tour on the stump in New York and Indiana. He will return to Indiana for four days' speaking next week. "I look for Cleveland to carry the State of Indiana by over 10,000 plurality. The Democratic party is thoroughly organized and the registration and ballot box laws give them confidence, which borders on a certainty. The campaign has not been so lively as it usually is, but I found the real enthusiasm and big meetings were all in Democratic districts. I only made one speech in Illinois, but friends who have been over the State tell me that the honors are even, and the chances of Cleveland are as good as those of Harrison. "It has been ten days since I was in New York. Then every indication and promise favored Cleveland. Tammany will give Cleveland as loyal support as their own candidate for Mayor. I look upon Cleveland's election as a foregone conclusion."

WISCONSIN'S PRETTY SHAPE.

A Few Samples of the Manner in Which It Has Been Gerrymandered.

MADISON, WIS., Oct. 28.—[Special.]—As a little more than a week remains before election day, it is hardly possible that legal proceedings can be instituted in time to obtain a decision on the new Democratic apportionment bill. In the new apportionment a Republican county with a population of 29,000 is denied a Senator, and a Democratic county with 42,000 is given one. Two Democratic counties with a combined population of 48,000 are given a Senator and two Republican counties with 48,000 people are denied Senatorial representation. To three Republican counties with a joint population of 68,000 one Senator is given, and to one Democratic county with less than 43,000 people one Senator is given. The Republicans, however, will make a strong fight even against these odds, and with no small prospects for victory.

THE CABINET IN SESSION.

A Meeting at Indianapolis to Decide Where Each Shall Speak.

INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 28.—The members of the Cabinet held an informal meeting to-night, at the Denison Hotel, for the purpose of deciding upon a course of action with regard to their participation in the political campaign. As a result of their deliberations it was decided that Secretary Miller should speak in Wisconsin, Secretary Noble in Missouri, Attorney General Miller in West Virginia, Postmaster General Wainmaker in Pennsylvania and Secretary Charles Denison in Ohio. Secretary Elkins will also speak in West Virginia, and probably elsewhere. Secretaries John W. Foster and Tracy are not likely to take any part in the campaign, although it is possible the latter may be induced to speak in New York before the election. The President, it is said, knew nothing of the meeting.

THE HOME RULE BILL. To Receive the Unanimous Support of Gladstone's Ministers.

OTHER REFORMS TO BE URGED.

Trade Depression Causes a Clamor at Manchester for the

GENERAL COINAGE OF GOLD AND SILVER

LONDON, Oct. 28.—That section of the Cabinet having any influence whatever with home rule proposals has long been so versed in both the leading principles and the details of the measure that the presentation of a draft of the bill, if the presentation occurred at all, must have been considered a mere formality. Immediately after the Government was formed, Mr. Gladstone constituted several committees, each charged with preparing the leading measures of the coming session of Parliament. The Home Rule Committee consisted of Mr. Gladstone himself, Earl Spencer, Sir William Vernon Harcourt, John Morley and Sir George Trevelyan. Supreme confidence prevails in the innermost ministerial circle regarding the absolute unanimity of the Cabinet Committee on the home rule scheme. With the committee in union, discussion is impossible. And it is certain that the bill will be presented in Parliament, without the remotest chance of any Minister breaking loose from his colleagues.

Three Other Great Measures. The Government measures next in importance before the Cabinet are electoral registration reform, publicans' licenses and parish councils bills. All of these have been drafted, and it can now be announced that they will form the bulk of the business of the session.

The Irish Revenue Commission will begin its meeting November 10. Lister Drummond, the Secretary, is an Oxford man and a Catholic convert, who has long served under Justice Mathew and past master of the commission, as revising barrister. Both Justice Mathew and Mr. Drummond are in sympathy with the tenants and will so vitalize the inquiry as to dispel the suspicion of certain nationalists that the commission was a pup.

The currency agitation, radiating from Manchester as a center, is now working up the commercial and financial circles of London. The London Chamber of Commerce will shortly be asked to endorse the principal resolution adopted by the meeting in Manchester last night, which resolution affirms that the best remedy for the depression in trade is a broad, international compact re-organizing the monetary and financial nations of the world to the unrestricted coinage of gold and silver and demands that the Government co-operate with the coming International Monetary Conference to secure such an agreement. In the highest financial quarters, however, there is a belief that the Government intends to pursue a policy of inertia on the currency questions.

David Hildreth Le Caron's Statement. Michael Davitt, writing in The Spokesman, characterizes Dr. Le Caron's book of reminiscences as "a scintilla and paste instead of ballad book." With reference to Dr. Le Caron's assertion that he brought a sealed package from John Devoy to Patrick Egan, who was then in Paris, Mr. Davitt says that he has obtained from Mr. Egan the identical sealed packet, a tin of soap which appears in The Spokesman, and instead of containing a Clan-na-Gael document, which Dr. Le Caron declares he could not trust to the hands of the printer, it contained an ordinary letter of introduction. Mr. Davitt denounces Le Caron's statements generally as palpable yarns.

Dame rumor, in different garb, with pretensions of certainty, states the woman pointed out by the Associated Press representative, however, has authority to state that Nell, since the sentence of death was passed upon him, has breathed not a word of confession, and has professed no statement whatever relating to his guilt or innocence. Nell is regularly attended in his cell by the Protestant minister attached to the Newgate prison. He treats the chaplain courteously, and listens to his admonitions with respect, but otherwise keeps an absolute reserve.

A FRENCH PRETENDER SUED

By a Woman Who Always Conducts Her Own Law Cases in Person.

LONDON, Oct. 28.—Mrs. Weldon, who has gained considerable notoriety through her law suits against M. Gouard, her husband, and a number of other persons, in which suits she always conducted her own case, has commenced an action in the French courts against a Dutch officer named Nauendorf, who claims to be the heir to the French throne through Louis, Charles and Philip de Bourbon.

A FRENCH LABOR QUESTION.

The Employment of Belgian Workers Comes Up in Parliament.

PARIS, Oct. 28.—Deputy Baily called attention in the Chamber of Deputies to-day to the recent conflicts between French and Belgian miners at Lens. He accused the mining companies of discharging their French miners because they had votes and replacing them with Belgian miners, and he demanded the adoption of measures against foreign miners. M. Viette, Minister of Public Works, denied that the dismissal of the French miners at Lens was due to political considerations.

AGNES HUNTINGTON'S LOVE.

A Philadelphia Lawyer's Narrow Escape From a Breach of Promise Suit.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 28.—[Special.]—The announcement in to-day's newspapers that Agnes Huntington, the sweet-faced American actress, is engaged to be married to Paul D. Cravath, a New York lawyer and a member of the firm of Cravath & Houston, brought a sigh of relief from a well-known member of the Philadelphia bar, also a millionaire. While in this city, capturing hearts and ducats by her charming impersonation of Paul Jones, Miss Huntington met H. La Barre Jayne, a well-known and highly respected lawyer, and a son of the late Dr. Jayne.

Mr. Jayne's acquaintanceship with Miss Huntington filled him with the greatest respect and admiration for her womanly qualities. Their relationship became of the most friendly character, but nothing more. Miss Huntington, however, evidently took a different view of the matter, and when, in the natural course of events, Mr. Jayne's attentions ceased, she felt aggrieved and protested to believe that the Philadelphia lawyer had been guilty of a violation of faith. Accordingly she placed her complaint in the hands of her counsel, ex-Judge Dittmer, of New York, with instructions to institute a suit for breach of promise of marriage.

The announcement of Miss Huntington's engagement of marriage is tantamount to a notice that she has abandoned the contemplated suit.

BLAIRVILLE RULED BY TRUGGS.

Crime Rampant, and a Vigilance Committee Is Seriously Talked Of.

BLAIRVILLE, Oct. 28.—[Special.]—The law-abiding people of this community are considering the advisability of organizing a committee of vigilantes to protect themselves from the lawless element, whose latest outrage was the ambush laid for the Patches. Three brothers were fired upon and all wounded, and their father only escaped being killed by a pitchfork in the hands of one of the assailants by the intervention of one of the wounded sons.

Only a short time ago a young man named Hatch from Derry station was shot down in the woods near Salem Church under circumstances that leave no reasonable doubt of foul play. Mr. Girard, pit boss at the Smith coal mines, had his face grazed a few evenings since by a pistol shot in the hands of a reckless shooter, and the release of a drunken man who shot an Italian are examples of what is going on here. The Sheriff of Indiana county is hunting the men who layd the Patches.

STEAMSHIP LINES POOL.

They Enter Into an Agreement Concerning Steerage Passenger Rates.

COLOGNE, Oct. 28.—A meeting was held here to-day of representatives of the North German Lloyd, Hamburg-American, the Netherlands-American and the Red Star Steamship Companies. It was agreed to work the east-bound steerage traffic on the pool system, the same as the existing system governing the west-bound steerage traffic.

FACE ALMOST RAW.

Eruption From Birth. Doctor and Simple Remedies Failed. Cured in 3 Weeks by Cuticura.

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CHOLERA BULLETINS.

Reports From All the Infected Spots of the Old World.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 28.—Two cases of cholera have developed in Sinope, a Black Sea port of Asiatic Turkey. Both the afflicted persons came from Odessa.

VIENNA.—One death from cholera and nine fresh suspicious cases were reported in this city to-day. Stringent precautionary measures have been taken to prevent the disease from spreading.

BUDAPEST.—Nineteen new cases of cholera and five deaths were reported to the health authorities in this city to-day.

HAMBURG.—Seven new cases of cholera and two deaths were reported here yesterday.

ST. PETERSBURG.—Two new cases of cholera occurred here yesterday. Cholera has appeared in Winitza, a town in Podolia, and is spreading rapidly. The inhabitants are panic stricken.

THE HOMESTEAD OF FRANCE.

Capital, Labor and the Militia Arrayed for Battle at Carmaux.

PARIS, Oct. 28.—The situation at Carmaux is aggravated and restless. Every body looks serious. Capital is becoming angry. The Conseil d'Administration des Mines de Carmaux decided to-day, in view of the protection accorded, the miners, not to pay the regular dividends while the situation remains unchanged. There is money enough, however, to pay the dividends realized on this year's business. For the first time money is ranged in battle against the miners.

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BLACK DRESS GOODS:

Ladies wearing mourning, and those determined to wear black on account of its pretty plainness, will find that in addition to the Henriettes and Silk Warp goods so popular last season, that Epingalines and smooth rep Dress Goods are to be considered now before deciding a purchase. You can't possibly hope to match prices prevailing here. They range from 50c to \$3.

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